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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)

Wynick, David)

Serial No. 09/230,463)

Filed: January 22, 1999)

For: "GALANIN")

Group Art Unit: 1647

Examiner: Gucker, S

Confirmation No. 4323

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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February 6, 2003

Sir:

✓ This is responsive to the November 6, 2002 Office Action. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 19-24 without prejudice.

Please amend the following claim:

D1 18. (Amended) A method for the treatment of peripheral nerve damage in a subject in need of such treatment, the method comprising the step of administering to the subject an amount of a galanin agonist effective to treat peripheral nerve damage.